

AMENDMENTS

Kindly make the following changes:

In the Specification:

Page 4, line 13, replace "therapy-sensitizing gene" with --therapy-sensitizing gene activity--.

In the Claims:

1. (Amended) Method of increasing the therapeutic effect of a cancer therapy, comprising the steps of:

delivering wild-type therapy-sensitizing gene activity to a tumor cell characterized by loss of said wild-type therapy-sensitizing gene activity, and subjecting said tumor cell to said cancer therapy.

2. (Amended) The method of claim 1, wherein said delivering comprises introducing a portion of a therapy-sensitizing protein with said therapy-sensitization gene activity [is introduced] into the tumor cell.

3. (Amended) The method of claim 1, wherein said delivering comprises introducing a portion of a therapy-sensitizing gene encoding said therapy-sensitizing gene

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activity or a portion of a cDNA encoding said therapy-sensitizing gene activity [is introduced]
into the tumor cell.

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9. (Amended) The method of claim 1 wherein said tumor cell is selected from the group consisting of carcinoma cell[s], sarcoma cell[s], central nervous system tumor cell[s], melanoma tumor cell[s], leukemia cell[s], lymphoma tumor cell[s], hematopoietic tumor cell[s], ovarian carcinoma cell[s], osteogenic sarcoma cell[s], lung carcinoma cell[s], colorectal carcinoma cell[s], hepatocellular carcinoma cell[s], glioblastoma cell[s], prostate cancer cell[s], breast cancer cell[s], bladder cancer cell[s], kidney cancer cell[s], pancreatic cancer cell[s], gastric cancer cell[s], esophageal cancer cell[s], anal cancer cell[s], biliary cancer cell[s], urogenital cancer cell[s], and head and neck cancer cell[s].

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17. (Amended) The method of claim 3, wherein said portion of a therapy-sensitizing gene or said portion of a cDNA is introduced to said tumor cell by direct injection [or aerosolized preparation].

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21. (Amended) The method of claim 1, wherein said therapy-sensitizing gene activity is fas [fas] therapy-sensitizing activity.